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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450



Re: Application of **Hirotaka TANAKA and Yoshihiro TAWARA**
METHOD OF PRODUCING A GLASS SUBSTRATE FOR A MAGNETIC
DISK AND METHOD OF PRODUCING A MAGNETIC DISK
Assignee: HOYA CORPORATION
 Our Ref. **Q80222**

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising twenty-three (23) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract (**all in Japanese**), and two (2) sheets of drawings. **Copies of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney, English Language Translation, the and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.**

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>7</u> - 20	=	<u> </u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
Independent claims	<u>1</u> - 3	=	<u> </u>	x	\$86.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
Base Fee								\$770.00
TOTAL FEE								\$770.00

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$770.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.



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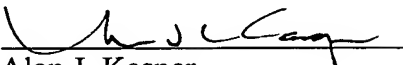
Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
JAPAN	2003-56274	March 3, 2003

The priority document will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,
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